

Table 2e . Historical Noncoincident Summer Peak Load, Actual by North American Electric Reliability Corporation Region, 2005 through 2006
(Megawatts)

| Summer Noncoincident Peak | | Contiguous U.S. | Eastern Power Grid | | | | | | Texas Power Grid | Western Power Grid |
|---------------------------|------|-----------------|--------------------|------------|-------------|---------|---------|--------|------------------|--------------------|
| | Year | | FRCC | MRO (U.S.) | NPCC (U.S.) | RFC | SERC | SPP | ERCOT | WECC (U.S.) |
| | 2005 | 758,876 | 46,396 | 39,918 | 58,960 | 190,200 | 190,705 | 41,727 | 60,210 | 130,760 |
| | 2006 | 789,475 | 45,751 | 42,194 | 63,241 | 191,920 | 199,052 | 42,882 | 62,339 | 142,096 |
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Notes: • Actual data are final. • Historical data series are shown in two files (1990-2004 and 2005+) reflecting the transformation of the NERC regions into the new industry organization entity that oversee electric reliability. • NERC Regional names may be found on the EIA web page for electric reliability.

• Regional name has changed from Mid-Continent Area Power Pool (MAPP) to Midwest Reliability Organization (MRO).

• The MRO, SERC, and SPP regional boundaries were altered as utilities changed reliability organizations. The historical data series have not been adjusted.

• ECAR, MAAC, and MAIN dissolved at the end-of-2005. Utility membership joined other reliability regional councils.

• ReliabilityFirst Corporation (RFC) came into existence on January 1, 2006, and submitted a consolidated filing covering the historical NERC regions of ECAR, MAAC, and MAIN. Many of the former utility members joined RFC.

• Represents an hour of a day during the associated peak period. • The summer peak period begins on June 1 and extends through September 30. • The winter peak period begins on December 1 and extends through February 28 of the following year. For example, winter 2001 begins December 1, 2001, and extends through February 28, 2002.

• Totals may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-411, "Coordinated Bulk Power Supply Program Report."